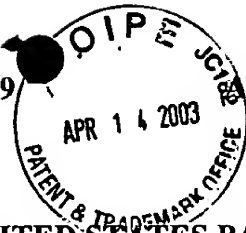


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It is requested that the time for response to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2002 be extended two months so that it expires on April 7, 2003 (April 5, 2003 being a Saturday).

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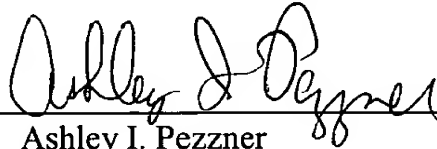
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Respectfully submitted,

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